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SUBJ: DIVIDED FAMILIES: ADDITIONAL PROGRESS IN POLISH CASES

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1. ON DECEMBER 22, THE CHIEF OF THE EMBASSY'S CONSULAR SECTION RETURNED TO THE MFA TO DISCUSS DIVIDED FAMILIES WITH VICE DIRECTOR MICKIEWICZ OF THE CONSULAR DEPARTMENT. MICKIEWICZ HANDED THE EMBASSY OFFICER WHAT HE CALLED THE "NEXT TWO" LISTS OF RESOLVED DIVIDED-FAMILY CASES. THE LISTS INCLUDE 73 CASES, INVOLVING 149 PEROPLD.

2. OF THESE 73 CASES, SIX WERE ALSO INCLUDED ON THE DEC-EMBER 19 LIST OF RESOLVED CASES. ONE WAS LISTED TWICE ON THIS LIST. THE REMAINING 66 CASES CAN BE BROKEN DOWN AS FOLLOWS:

A. NUCLEAR CASES PRESENTED TO MFA: 17

B. NON-NUCLEAR CASES PRESENTED TO THE MFA: 8

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C. OTHER CASES NOT PRESENTED TO MFA: 24

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D. UNKNOWN TO THE EMBASSY: 17

OF CATEGORIES A AND B, 20 WERE PRESENTED TO THE MFA IN

1977, THREE IN 1976, AND TWO IN 1974.

3. COMMENT: WE DO NOT KNOW IF MICKIEWICZ'S USE OF THE PHRASE "NEXT TWO" WAS DELIBERATE OR NOT. AT ANY RATE, THE TOTALS FOR THIS LIST AND THAT WHICH WAS GIVEN US ON DECEMBER 19 FOR THE VARIOUS CATEGORIES AS FOLLOWS:

A. PRESENTED NUCLEAR CASES: 35

B. PRESENTED NON-NUCLEAR CASES: 10

C. OTHER RESOLVED CASES NOT PRESENTED: 55

WE WILL BE EXPRESSING OUR GRATIFICATION FOR THIS PROGRESS AND OUR HOPE THAT IT CONTINUES. WE RECOMMEND THAT THE DEPARTMENT DO THE SAME TO THE POLISH EMBSSY, WITH PARTICULAR REFERENCE TO THE DESIRABILITY OF SOLVING THE KENNEDY-STROJEK AND PIKE-BIEGUNSKI CASES. END COMMENT.
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